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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n): ☒ Utility ☐ Design  
☐ original patent application,  
☐ continuation-in-part application

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TITLE: "Method of Administering Software Components Using Asynchronous Messaging In A Multi-Platform, Multi-Programming Language Environment"

Enclosed are:

- ☒ The Declaration and Power of Attorney. ☒ signed ☐ unsigned or partially signed  
☒ 8 sheets of drawings (one set) ☐ Associate Power of Attorney  
☒ Form PTO-1449 ☐ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  
☐ Priority document(s) ☒ (Other) Preliminary Amendment (2 pages) (fee \$ )

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